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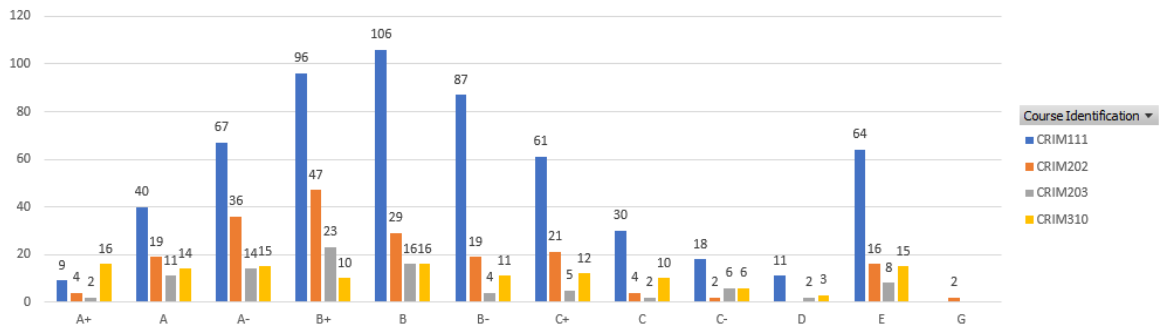
**Official information request regarding grade distributions for CRIM111, CRIM202, CRIM203, and CRIM310**

I refer to your request for information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) dated 27 June 2024:

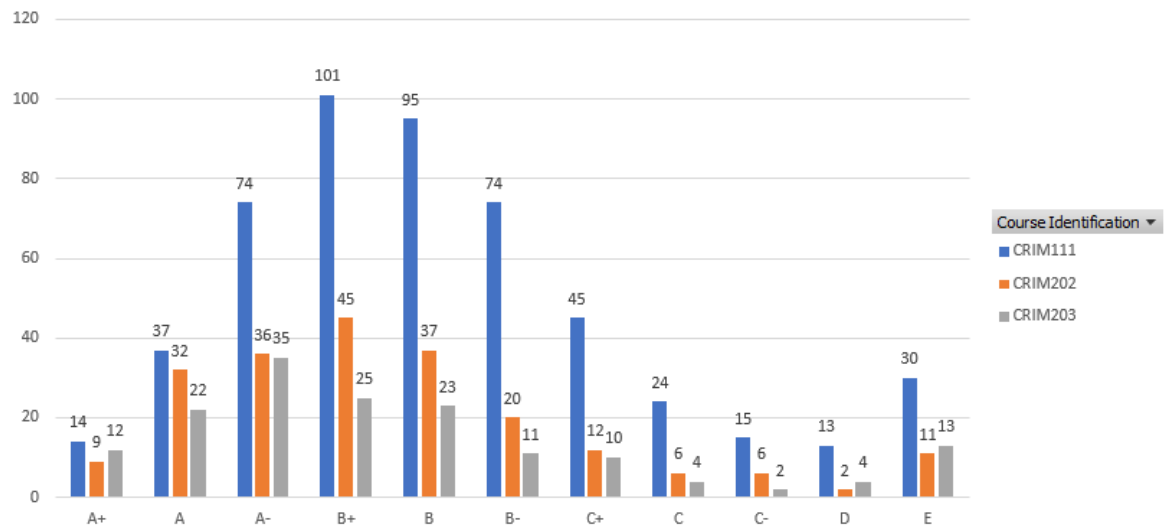
*“I am requesting a graph that shows the grade distributions of the courses mentioned above. AKA, how many people got A+, A, A-, B+, B, and so on.”*

The information you requested is contained in the graphs below. Your request does not specify the years for which the data is required so we have provided the most recent data available at the date of your request for the years 2022 and 2023.

2022 Grade distribution for CRIM111, CRIM202, CRIM203, CRIM310



2023 Grade distribution for CRIM111, CRIM202, CRIM203



Note that CRIM310 was not run in the 2023 Academic year.

In addition to the above please note below grading definitions and breakpoints:

Pass/fail	Grade	Grade Point (for course grades only)	Normal range (after rounding)	Midpoint	Indicative characterisation
Pass	A+	9	90%–100%	95	Outstanding performance
	A	8	85%–89%	87	Excellent performance
	A-	7	80%–84%	82	Excellent performance in most respects
	B+	6	75%–79%	77	Very good performance
	B	5	70%–74%	72	Good performance
	B-	4	65%–69%	67	Good performance overall, but some weaknesses
	C+	3	60%–64%	62	Satisfactory to good performance
	C	2	55%–59%	57	Satisfactory performance
	C-	1	50%–54%	52	Adequate evidence of learning
Fail	D	0	40%–49%	45	Poor performance overall, some evidence of learning
	E	0	0–39%	20	Well below the standard required
	K	0	Fail due to not satisfying mandatory course requirements, even though numerical course mark at pass level or above. A student whose course mark is below 50 should be given a D (40–49) or E (0–39), regardless of whether they met the mandatory course requirements.		

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of the decisions made regarding this request. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact me at [oiarequests@vuw.ac.nz](mailto:oiarequests@vuw.ac.nz).

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